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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**POU920010169US1**

**In Re Application Of: Robert J. Dugan et al.**

Application No. <b>10/006948</b>	Filing Date <b>12/03/2001</b>	Examiner <b>Mattis, Jason E.</b>	Customer No. <b>33558</b>	Group Art Unit <b>2616</b>	Confirmation No. <b>2758</b>
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**Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OBTAINING MULTIPLE PORT ADDRESSES BY A FIBRE CHANNEL FROM A NETWORK FABRIC**

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 12/18/2007 in the above-identified application.

**The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):**

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from: <u>03/18/2008</u>			until: <u>06/18/2008</u>	
	<i>Date</i>			<i>Date</i>

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
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INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	3 =	0	x \$210.00	\$0.00
			FEE FOR AMENDMENT		\$0.00
			FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME		\$1,050.00
			<b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b>		<b>\$1,050.00</b>

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- The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.
- Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
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